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Faith of Our Fathers

Faith of our fathers; living still In spite of dungeon, fire and sword; O how our hearts beat high with joy Whene'er we hear that glorious word.

Chorus.

Faith of our fathers; holy faith; We will be true to thee till death!

Our fathers, chained in prison dark, Were still in heart and conscience free; How sweet would be their children's fate, If they, like them, could die for thee!

Faith of our fathers, we will love, Both friend and foe in all our strife, And preach thee too, as love knows how, By kindly words and virtuous life.

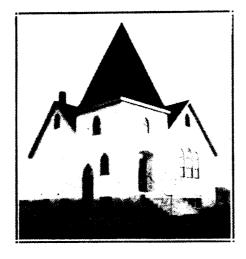
-Rev. F. W. Faber, 1849.

In the beginning Church service was held in the homes and our district was fortunate in having settlers qualified to conduct these services. The original school buildings and the teachers enabled wider facilities and later we had churches in Cloan, Phippen and Swarthmore, as well as in surrounding towns and villages. The Society of Friends, commonly known as Quakers, established the first church at Swarthmore in October 1906, which was widely attended and highly regarded and Phippen held the dedication of their first Church in December 1912. Expansion followed the district settlement and development and today everyone in the area has access to the Church of their choice.

Swarthmore United Church

1926

In 1926, when Rev. Hill Hamilton was minister, the Swarthmore Community built this church. There had been a Friends Church, a Methodist congregation and a Presbyterian congregation. These grew together as the community grew up, until they formed one congregation of worshipping Christians. The oneness of all Christians is symbolized in Swarthmore Church.



1951

The Swarthmore Church can be seen from many miles around. As it stands today, it is a sacred memorial to those who built, a continuing evidence of God's Presence with us, and a sign of our firm faith in the future.

25TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION: SEPTEMBER THE SECOND, 1951

Preacher: REV. PRINCIPAL J. B. CORSTON, M.A., PH.D., of St. Andrew's College, Saskatoon

Swarthmore Friends Church



Opening of Swathmore Friends Church Oct. 1906, Clearly Pioneers. N.W. 33-41-21.

Left to Right, Children Front Row: R. C. Weir (standing), Arnold Weir, (kneeling) May Snider, two Mullett children, C. G. and W. H. Wallace, J. S. Stewart, Verla Armitage, Belle Thompson, Ella and Gertie Wallace, Eileen Weir and J. E. Fawell.

Seated in Second Row: Mrs. W. Raby, Mrs. N. H. Snider, L. B. Mullett (N. Lake), J. Montgomery, Mrs. L. B. Mullett and baby, D. M. Fawell, Mrs. A. Flint, Allan Bond, Mrs. W. J. Armitage, R. J. McAuslan and Cecil, Mrs. C. F. Thompson, Verna Weir, Rev. W. I. Moore, Mrs. John Stewart, Mrs. Tom Powell, Mrs. R. J. McAuslan, Mrs. W. C. Weir, Mrs. T. E. Fawell, Mrs. Jas. Wallace, T. E. Fawell.

Standing, Third Row: Arthur Flint, W. C. Weir, J. E. Allan, Ed Beeson, Amaziah Beeson, Rev. W. J. Armitage, Tom Davidson, Dave Armitage, C. F. Thompson, A. B. Smith, J. T. Hughes, N. H. Snider, W. A. Clark, Tom McAuslan, Jas. Wallace, J. E. Wallace, Eddie Farrer, W. Raby, C. Clark (tall), Jim Cruikshank and W. Cruikshank.

Back Row: D. C. McWhirter, C. G. Thompson, Frank and George Foster, L. L. Fawell (partly hidden), Alf Clark, C. E. Rorke, John Davidson, O. Stephens, Tom Powell, Charlie Smith, N. F. Rorke, Wm. Brockelbank (short), Frank Rorke, Jack Cruikshank and

First Government House



High on a hill overlooking the valleys of the Saskatchewan and Battle rivers, stands this first Government House of the North West Territories, built in 1877. Lt. Governor David Laird and his Territorial Council held sittings here from 1878 to 1881. In 1882 with the coming of the C.P.R. to the southern plains, Regina was selected as the new capital and the government moved south. The following year, in 1883, Government House became an Indian industrial school and when it was closed some 30 years later, the old building remained vacant until taken over in the early '20's as a college by the Seventh Day Adventists. In 1932, the Oblate Fathers purchased it and completely renovated it. Thanks to their efforts, the old building has not been allowed to crumble and decay, as is so often the fate of pioneer buildings. It is being preserved for future generations, a living monument to the vision and dreams of those who pioneered the laws of the western country.

Located on S.E. 19-43-16, which is 4 miles north and 13 miles east of the north-east corner of our Municipality.



PHIPPEN CHURCH
The United Church Phippen Dedicated in 1912.

1867 PRIME MINISTERS OF CANADA 1955

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|---|
| RIGHT HON. SIR JOHN ALEXANDER MACDONALD July 1st, |
| HON. ALEXANDER MACKENZIE 1873—1878 |
| HON. SIR JOHN J. C. ABBOTT 1891—1892 |
| RIGHT HON. SIR JOHN S. D. THOMPSON 1892—1894 |
| HON. SIR MACKENZIE BOWELL 1894—1896 |
| HON, SIR CHARLES TUPPER 1896—1896 |
| RIGHT HON. SIR WILFRID LAURIER 1896—1911 |
| RIGHT HON. SIR ROBERT L. BORDEN 1911—1920 |
| RIGHT HON. ARTHUR MEIGHEN |
| RIGHT HON. W. L. MACKENZIE KING |
| RIGHT HON. RICHARD B. BENNETT |
| RIGHT HON. LOUIS S. ST. LAURENT (12) |

R h. of Buffalc No 409 For years 1920, 1921 4 1922 4 1923 + 1924



R.M. 409, COUNCIL, 1920-1924

Federal Members

The Battlefords Federal Constituencies

1908-1917 Albert Champagne (Dec.)

1917-1921 H. O. Wright

1921—1925 T. H. McConica (Dec.)

1925-1935 Joseph Vallance

1935-1940 Joseph Needham (Dec.)

1940-1945 J. A. Gregory (Dec.)

1945-1949 Max Campbell

1949-1953 A. J. Bater

1953—1955 Max Campbell

Northern Area

1917—1921 Charles E. Long (Dec.)

1921—1925 C. C. Davis (Dec.)

1925—1940 Cameron R. McIntosh

1940-1945 Mrs. D. W. Neilson

1945--1949 T. W. Townsley Smith

Federal Members-Kindersley Area

1917—1921 Dr. E. T. W. Myers

1921-1935 A. M. Carmichael

1935-1940 C. B. Elliot

1940-1945 C. A. Henderson

1945-1949 F. E. Jaenicke (Dec.)

1949-1953 F. H. Larson

1953—1955 Mervin Johnson

N.W.T. Battleford Constituency

1888—1898 James Clinkskill (Dec.)

1898—1905 Benjamin Prince (Dec.)

Members of Saskatchewan Legislative Assembly

1905-1908 Albert Champagne (Dec.)

1908-1917 Sydney S. Simpson (Dec.)

1917—1929 William H. Dodds (Dec.)

1929-1934 George J. McLean

1912-1917 James M. Scott (Dec.)

1917—1921 Reuben Martin

1921—1925 Sydney Bingham (Dec.)

1925—1929 Robert E. Nay, K.C.

1929—1934 Alexander J. McLeod (Dec.)

1934—1938 Dr. John Jardine (Dec.)

1938-1944 John C. Knowles

1944-1948 H. O. Hansen

1948-1955 John W. Horsman



DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE EXPERIMENTAL FARMS SERVICE

EXPERIMENTAL STATION

scott. sask. April 14, 1955.

To the Ratepayers of
The Rural Municipality of Buffalo,
No. 409, Province of Saskatchewan.

I welcome the opportunity to extend greetings on behalf of this Experimental Station as a contribution to your Jubilee Manual. It is interesting to note that five years after Saskatchewan became a Province, both your municipality was incorporated and the Experimental Station at Scott became established in 1910.

The primary function of this Experimental Station is agricultural research. Available space will only permit mentioning some of our more recent results which are gaining wide approval. Early spring tillage of fallow with seeding ten days later has been found to increase grain yields, particularly oats, in our drier seasons which occur too frequently. Commercial fertilizers and how to effectively use them have been tested. Methods of obtaining stands of forage crops have been worked out. Herbicides for the control of many weeds have been studied. Chemical control for such common and destructive insects as wireworms and onion maggot have been evolved. Methods of utilizing solar heat for hastening maturity of tender vegetables is another of our fascinating projects. Varieties introduced by this station such as Lake wheat, Gilson carnation and Rescue apple have met with popular acceptance.

While the press and radio give the results of our work from time to time, the most effective publicity is from seeing the results and talking to the specialists in charge. You are invited to consult us or, better still, organize a field day to see the work in progress.

Yours truly,

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G. D. Matthews, Superintendent.

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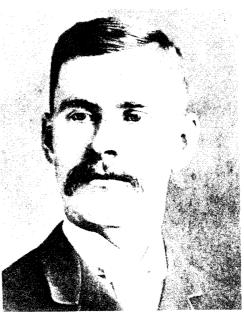
Their Majesties at Tako



Their Majesties King George VI and Queen Elizabeth at Tako, Sask. June 3rd, 1939, S.E. 31-39-21 being $\frac{3}{4}$ mile east and $\frac{3}{4}$ mile south of our South West Corner with Emerson Davies and Eileen Dewar of Scott, Sask.



The First Reeve
The First Reeve, F. A. Black, 1910—1915.



Reeve J. Wallace Jas. Wallace, Reeve, 1916—1919





War 1 World

Akrigg, John

Bellamy, John W.

Britton, Reginald

Brown, Garnet

Clarke, William E.

Crawford, Allan

Dennis, Albert E.

Ennis, Jay B.

Ennis, Victor

Gardiner, Thomas

Goodall, David

Hunter, Samuel

Jacobs, Arthur E.

Knapp, Cornelius

Pettypiece, Thomas

Rogers, Allan O.

Rowat, Robert D.

Sackville, Spencer

Shury, Francis J.

Steel, George

Thompson, William

Topley, Ernest R.

Tregaskis, Arthur

Tregaskis, Leonard

Umbach, Roy

Webster, Edward

Deceased Veterans 1939-1945

World War 2

Bousquet, Elbert C.

Brown, Herbert

Caston, Cecil W.

Cotter, David G. (PO)

Feist, Otto V.

Martin, John L.

Moss, Bud

McKenna, Robert J.

Oatway, John E.

Sander, Michael

Smith, Edgar H.

Smith, Stanley

Stephenson, Harold A.

Tregaskis, Clarence A.

The response to the call of His Majesty's Forces was commendable and the awards received for heroic service were outstanding.

Enlistments

South African War 1899 - 1902

Davis, Edward Gilbert, Edmund B. Greenwood, Ernest (Dec.)

Smith, Robert Westerby, James (Dec.)

Pink, Henry

Larmour, John

World War 1, 1914-1918

Akrigg, C. (DCM)
Bentley, D. B. M.D. (Major)
Bentley, W. J. DDS, (Lt.Col.)
Bilstein, W.
Brockelbank, Hon. J. H.
Campbell, V. F.
Cogland, H.
Eldridge, George

Evans, F. A.
Evans, T. H.
French, A.
Gibbons, P. G.
Hunter, James
Jacobs, F. M.
Knuft, L. A.
McCaffrey, J. E.

Roberts, R.
Stewart, J. S.
Stewart, P.
Wallace, W. H.
Ward, G. P.
Weir, R. C.
Whyte, N. L.

McKee, J. E.

McKee, Mary

McKee, R.

World War 2, 1939 - 1945

Benson, Helen Benson, Kathleen Benson, L. C. Benson, R. Brown, A. P. Burden, F. V. Burr, F. G. Cartwright, P. Cartwright, W. Caston, R. G. Code, A. W. (DFC) Code, W. H. Cornish, F. A. Cornish, J. Cranston, G. S. Crawford, D. M. Creagh, A. Daratha, P. P. Delahoy, C. E. Dell, C. Dewar, E. H. Dillabough, E. Dillon, A. Dillon, N. E. Duncan, N. Duncan, W. A. Federow, J.

Feist, L. V.

Fenrich, P. J. Gendall, G. C. Gendall, W. R. Gerein, J. J. Golberg, H. W. Greenwood, P. M. Hauk, S. B. Herbert, A. C. Imrie, C. W. Johnson, G. H. Knuff, A. A. Larmour, J. W. Latimer, W. H. Lloyd, H. Lloyd, R. R. Lloyd, S. R. Love, K. H. Martin, D. D. H. Maze, C. V. Maze, G. R. Miller, M. J. Milliken, C. J. Mitchell, W. J. Muldoon, J. R. Mullett, R. G. MacEachern, J. M. McArthur, A. (POW) McEwan, J. E.

McLean, J. H. McLenaghan, H. McWhirter, E. H. Nielsen, Dorothy L. Oatway, C. F. Oliver, A. R. Olsen, Capt. S. C. Phillips, F. G. Rasmussen, G. N. Reis, T. Robinson, L. E. Rorke, A. R. Rorke, L. A. Rorke, H. E. Smith, A. Smith, Mildred Snider, C. R. Straun, E. P. Suttle, W. D. Wald, N. P. Warren, Irene Westwater, R. H. Wilbee, E. L. Wright, S. C. Zeretski, Eva

A Tribute to Prairie Women

Kathleen Strange, 4 Dean Close, Dean Court Road, Rottingdean, Sussex, England

No story of Western Canada would be complete without at least brief mention of the part women have played in the development of the prairies, and the service they have contributed, not only to their menfolk but to the country as a whole.

From the very beginning women shared the disappointments and the setbacks as well as the rewards that attended life on these western prairies in the early days. They cheerfully endured the hardships of homesteading, the loneliness and the gruelling hard work. Many of them lived in sod houses or rough log shacks, far from civilization and with none of the amenities of life such as western farm women, for the most part, know today. Even the most gently-natured ones — and there were many of this kind — had to learn to do everything for themselves, pump water, trim lamps, bake bread, milk cows, cook for hungry men, raise children without help and sometimes even do their stint in the fields.

For many years these pioneer women worked so hard around their own farms they had but little time or inclination to take part in outside activities. As things became more settled, however, the women began to engage in outside activities, in an effort to improve the conditions of rural life.

Today the West can boast of many pretentious, well-equipped farm houses, surrounded by beautiful well-kept grounds, with telephone service, electrification and other modern improvements, largely as a result of the work, both behind the scenes and in active organized groups of rural women. They have been responsible for better schools, municipal hospitals and rural health services, travelling libraries and other important improvements that have benefited farming people everywhere.

Of recent years western farm women have branched out still further and have made themselves prominent not only in community but in Provincial and even National affairs. It was a group of five western women, for instance, who carried an appeal to the Privy Council to have women declared "persons" and so eligible for appointment to the Senate. Western farm women, too, have been elected members of the Legislature of all three prairie provinces at various times, all undoubtedly to the betterment of this country as a whole.

When greater periods men environ,
Then women show a front of iron;
And gentle in their manners, they
Do bold things in a quiet way.

—Thomas Dunn English.

The Reeve's Message

The Municipality endeavours to remember in this Jubilee year the pioneer men and women who came and homesteaded or otherwise settled the land that now comprises the R.M. of Buffalo. A few came in 1904 and 1905 but the real trek came over the prairies in 1906 and 1907 and later—true pioneers in every sense of the word, from several countries and speaking in different tongues but all with at least one thought in common — to make homes on the untried prairies of Saskatchewan. The pioneers of that time had to have faith, courage, determination and a keen sense of humor. These were plain essentials and the years that followed required all of them. And yet, without such vision, could they have continued? Solomon said "Without vision the people perish." Set-back after set-back followed, such as hail, drought, rust, frost and prairie fires, yet their vision and faith did not weaken.

A few of the pioneers are still with us. Some have moved to other parts and others have gone to their reward. When we consider that fifty years ago this west of ours was prairie grass and buffalo bones (no doubt from them the Municipality got its name) with hardly a tree from Eagle Hills to the South Saskatchewan river and that the mode of travel was mostly by ox-team and wagon with Battleford the nearest town, one can realize the isolation and hardships. Today we have churches, highways, hospitals, schools, power, railways, telephones and progressive towns. The tractor has taken the place of the ox and the horse and there is a car on almost every farm. The sod and log houses have been replaced with modern dwellings. These are some of the blessings this generation enjoys because of the pioneers.

Over the years humble faith in themselves and meeting their problems gallantly with self-confidence, truly was responsible for the position we enjoy today. Previous Councils are entitled to recognition for the contribution and foresight exercised.

As Reeve of the Rural Municipality of Buffalo, it gives me pleasure, on behalf of the Council Members and Secretary-treasurer, in this year of Jubilee of our grand Province of Saskatchewan, to extend to all the pioneer men and women of the R.M. of Buffalo, our gratitude for the part they played, also to those pioneers who were instrumental in forming our Municipality in 1910. This Manual, while being informative, is a Book of Remembrance to the Pioneers and helps bring some vivid recollections of homestead and pioneer days and will we believe, be useful for historical and current reference.

In closing we say of those early settlers who came and settled and persevered and won:

"YOU BUILT FAR BETTER THAN YOU KNEW."

On behalf of the Council,

JOHN L. MARTIN, Reeve.

202,538 Acres and No. Hamlets, Cloan — Phippen — Thackeray

\$2,410,220 — ASSESSMENT — 1955

| | Total | \$ 40,199.79 | 43,337.16 | 42,794.27 | 42,804.52 | 43,117.36 | 53,127.20 | 53,745.43 | 56,428.84 | 66,736.22 | 69,381.48 | 76,898.92 | 89,048.30 | 101,736.90 | 109,678.37 | 109,528.40 | \$998.563.16 |
|-------|---------------------|--------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|--------------|
| Rural | Telephone Companies | \$ 2,275.49 | 2,412.80 | 1,736.58 | 1,364.55 | 1,521.05 | 1,909.28 | 2,307.83 | 13) 3,116.50 | 3,130.80 | 3,248.90 | 3,253.50 | 3,237.60 | 3,690.70 | 3,917.05 | 4,245.60 | \$41,368.23 |
| | | | | | | | | | (HR. 13) | | | | | | | | |
| | Hospitals | \$ 1,682.60 | 2,896.20 | 3,376.19 | 3,360.17 | 3,359.59 | 4,450.09 | 2,383.68 | Nil | Nil | 2,392.37 | 2,398.05 | 2,898.40 | 2,403.98 | 2,408.03 | 2,410.22 | \$35,919.57 |
| | | | | 18,452.94 New Assmt. | 18,953.32 SCH, Agree. | | L.U. | | (C.P.R.) | | | | | | | | |
| | Schools | \$ 17,490.90 | 18,071.11 | 18,452.94 | 18,953.32 | 19,112.56 | 27,644.07 L.U. | 32,368.16 | 34,382.02 (C.P.R.) | 41,974.19 | 42,208.88 | 42,470.77 | 49,834.70 | 54,774.56 | 62,416.78 | 61,898.84 | \$542,053.80 |
| | Municipal | \$ 18,750.80 | 19,957.05 | 19,228.56 | 19,126.48 | 19,124.16 | 19,123.76 | 16,685.76 | 18,930.32 | 21,631.23 | 21,531.33 | 28,776.60 | 33,577.60 | 40,867.66 | 40,936.51 | 40,973.74 | \$379,221.56 |
| | Year | 1941 | 1942 | 1943 | 1944 | 1945 | 1946 | 1947 | 1948 | 1949 | 1950 | 1951 | 1952 | 1953 | 1954 | 1955 | TOTALS |

YOUR CONCERN

Individual behaviorism determines the extent of Municipal welfare.

Bangs and T.B. free areas are only as clear as we make and keep them, also Pure Bred Sire.

Road maintenance with 350 miles of Municipal upkeep has definite limitations and closely relates to soft and wet conditions, requiring every possible consideraion against abuse, which often carelessly ruins the best facility. Our road bans must have meaning!

Tree planting and snow prevention effects winter travel and has permanent harmonious results.

Weed control is likewise neighborhood concern and your interest and activity is invited. The Council cannot be expected to personally supervise 324 square miles within the Municipality.

Public Works and Machinery Details Expenditure

Period 1945 — 1954 10 Years.

| | | | | | | P. Works | | |
|------|------------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|-----------------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|
| Year | Machinery | | Repairs | | Gravel | L. Ins. & W.C. | Supervision | Total |
| 1945 | Soil movers (3) | \$ 618.60 | | | | \$ 6,899.01 | \$527.85 | \$ 8,045.46 |
| 1946 | Cat. Main., etc. | 9,218.00 | | Ъ. | \$8,994.60 | 15,658.13 | 833.00 | 34,707.53 |
| 1947 | Rich. Grader | 6,532.30 | | ບ່ | 6,525.10 | 12,884.16 | 893.50 | 26,835.06 |
| | | | | T. | | | | |
| 1948 | Grader Eng. | 122.40 | \$1,296.69 | | | 8,667.53 | 850.20 | 10,936.82 |
| | | | | W. | | | | |
| 1949 | | | 1,146.80 | घ्यं | 1,520.31 | 8,548.80 | 734.30 | 11,950.21 |
| 1950 | Nord. Dozer | 6,136.50 | 1,618.25 | | | 9,730.98 | 929.00 | 18,444.33 |
| 1951 | Bee-Gee, etc. | 2,315.00 | 3,248.10 | | | 9,363.06 | 801.30 | 15,717.46 |
| 1952 | Bee-Gee, Amer. 8 etc. | 7,116.10 | 2,508.82 | C. G.P. | $11,224.80 \\ 400.00$ | 11,039.93 | 824.90 | 33,114.55 |
| 1953 | Adams 610, Scrapers, etc. | 11,020.12 | 2,488.32 | | | 13,573.13 | 995.50 | 28,077.07 |
| 1954 | Adams 610, Trail | 5,496.71 | 2,002.43 | | | 11,359.52 | 1,211.50 | 20,090.16 |
| | | | | | | | | \$207,918.65 |

All machinery is paid for. The American 8 Patrol is 3 years old and Adams 610 is 2 years in operation. This indicates a 10-year average annual expenditure of \$20,791.86 or 8.6 mills annual taxation over period on present assessment or 73.4% of total Municipal

There are 10 Snow Plow Clubs, 8 within and 2 partially covering our area — 6 operated in 1952, 8 in 1953 and 10 in 1954. The Municipality provides public liability insurance and thereby recognizes the contribution being made.

Province of Saskatchewan

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AGRICULTURAL REPRESENTATIVE SERVICES

Your Ag. Rep. Reports

In the spring of 1945 an act was passed by the Saskatchewan legislature making provision for bringing Agricultural Extension services closer to the farmer. Thirty-six Conservation and Improvement Districts were set up with provision for an Agricultural Representative in each. On April 9, 1946 I was appointed the first Ag. Rep. to District 30, which constitutes eleven Rural Municipalities, of which Buffalo No. 409 is a part, with Wilkie chosen as office headquarters. You are herewith invited to take advantage of this service.

"Agriculture is the art of tilling the soil." The conservation of our Agricultural resources, which is basically the soil, has been and will continue to be our primary concern. Our fiftieth anniversary signifies marked progress in living standards and farming methods. But it also signifies a marked decrease in soil fertility and a constant need for inccreased skills in methods of production.

We are the chosen custodians of the soil and for this privilege we are expected to leave it in as good, or better, condition than when it was handed to us. In this Jubilee year we find ourselves pioneers in the rebuilding and conservation of the soil. May our efforts be just as worthy of commemoration fifty years from now as those of the pioneers we honour today.

A. J. Rugg,
Agricultural Representative

PREMIERS OF SASKATCHEWAN, 1905 -- 1955.,



HON.WALTER SCOTT,
HON.W.M.MARTIN,
HON.C.A.DUNNING,
HON.J.G.GARDINER,
HON.J.T.M.ANDERSON,
HON.W.J.PATTERSON,
HON.T.C.DOUGLAS

1905 --1916 1916 --1922 1922 --1926 1926 --1929--1934, 1929 --1934













Our Pioneers

And what of the men whose feet have trod The trails where hardships led?
Who claimed their land and turned the sod By which their sons have fed?
And what of their women who followed near The lonely ways among,
Who oft in solitude and fear
With courage bore their young?

Their homes they built from virgin sod Hewn from the very earth, And who shall say that ever God More blessed a family hearth? Their first church was the prairie sky, Without a tree for shade, The prairie wind now low now high Their organ music made.

And how shall we remember those Who brought us to this day?
How best make sure their names and works Will not soon pass away?
We'll place their names within this book
So all who read may know;
But better still we can and will
Show courage as we go.

And teach our sons and daughters
And theirs from age to age,
To live so we'll be worthy of
So fine a heritage.
And thus along the path, please God,
We'll build a race withal,
To those who came and turned the sod,
A live Memorial.

By Marguerite Imrie MacDonald, author born in Municipality on N.W. 2-41-21.



A REAL PIONEER

A real pioneer A. H. Fisher, 1907. S.E. 2-41-19 with Mrs. J. D. Horsman and Mrs. J. Muldoon. Councillor Div. 1, 1912-1916, 1925-1936. Wilkie Hospital Board 1928-1945.

Saskatoon Land Titles Office

| c.PR 3 | C.P.R. | Herbert Pattigrew | | C.P.R. | C.P.R. | Karl Roupsch | Gustave Drosse | C.P.R. | C.P.R. | Daniel C. MeLean | James Muldoon |
|-----------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| c.P.R. | C.P.R. | Alfred 6 5mith | Thomas M Johnston | C.P.R. | C.P.R. | Herman N. Polletz | Lancolot Karlwright | c.p.R. | C.P.R. | William | le/m. uk smai |
| #.J. Me Milan —— 3 | George Frederick Twiss | Daniel Hughes | Ponald R Love | James Harvey | Frank James Harvey | c.p.R. | C.P.R. | H. 8.6 | H.B.C. | | C.P.R. |
| B. Retti- grew | Albert H. Horst | Daniel Hughes | S. S. Board of Canada | John Marris Harvey | James Harry | C.P.R. | e.P.R. | н.в.с. | H.B.C. | c.P.R. | c.P.R. |
| C.P.R | e.P.R. | 11 | Fraderick R McClennan | c.P.R. | C.P.R. | David c.A. Gill | John Lehman 2 | C.P.R | C.P.R | Francis Spinks Carter | S.S. Board of |
| c.P.R. | C.P.R. | Allen McClennan | James Brown Laidlaw | C.P.B. | C.P.R. | Charles J. Gill | Byron Gee | C.P.R | C.P.R. | William J. May | C.H. Ende rton R.C. McDon. ald. |
| Wm. A. Gee | Parry S. Thomas | c.P.R | C.PR | Charles John Logan | John George Kroft | C.P.R. | C.P.R. | Alfred Edgar May | Roy McTavish | C.P.R. | C.PR |
| E.A. Gee | | c.P.R | C.P.R. | Edward Weaver | Joseph Claylon Gee | c.P.R. | c.P.R. | Cecil Herbert | Oliver | C.P.R | CP.R |
| c.PR | C.P.R | Н.В.С. | Н.В.С. | c.P.R | c.P.R | C.P. R | Matthew Albert Elmer Clement | John H. Warren | | John 1. Bergerson | E.A. Oulm- oge |
| c.P.R | c.P.R | н.в.с∙ | H.B.Co. | c.P.R | C.P.R. | William Shene | Samuel R Kipp | | Edwin Fl. Galdbarg | Oscar Oliver Goldberg | K. good- all |
| | Alexander Campball | c.P.R | c.P.R | Charles I Logan | Charles T. Logan | c.P.R. | c.P.R | John Malvin Muffat | Edwin H. Goldberg | c.P.R | C.P.R |
| John Malsta | Neil Campbell | e.P.R | c.P.R. | John W. Mailseh | George Skene | c.P.R | c.P.R. | Patrick Callins | William John George | c.P.R | e.P.R. |

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Battleford Land Titles Office

| 3 | | T. Hunter | A. Evans | 3 | 3 | C.L. | J.T. Muxlow | 3 | 5 | W. Murphy | G Mexlow |
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| | | S. Hunter | w. | | | C. L. | C.L. | | | E. C. Sackville | A. |
| W. Tesky | J MocEachern | e | 0 | A. Hunter | | | 7 | H.B.C. | George Mullett Phelps | 2 | 5 |
| D.A. | F. A. | | | C. MacEachern | | | | H.BC. | 1 | | |
| 1 | | E. Boughner 2 | | 2 | | | M.T. Stephenson 2 | s | 3 | Walter John Henesy | E. New- man |
| | | F. Newton | E | | | A. Andrews | E | | | B New man | E. New man |
| M. Fralay Son | D.M Black | | 7 | E. Rahm | ' | | | R.W. | | | 3 — |
| L.C. | _ | | | . | B. Rahm | | | E. Tragashis | F. J. | | |
| | | | | | | D. Harker | J. Lloyd | | | H.M. Thompson | A. Fisher |
| | | | 3 | | | J. Love | Robert William Gibson | | | T. Arnold | G Moore |
| | R Cook | | | G.T. Powell | B. Missimbird | | | W. Berry | F. Berry | | |
| w.R cook | • . | | | B. Norton | A. Love | | | A. Tregaskis | A.H. Fisher | | |

Township ___ 42 __ Range ___ 19 ___ West of __ 3rd __ Meridian

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| Hal. Denny | J. Dickson | 2 | | B' Lawrence | | 2 | 7 | µ.В.С∙. | John Lawrence Schramp. | | 25 |
| H. • | G. Mc Naught | | | Mrs. Lawrence | В | | | } | H. В. С. | 1 | |
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| R G | A Duncan | · | | D Daudelin | A.I. Harkness | | | E. Lawrence | | | |
| 7 | | 8 | 1 | |) | W Alder | A.F. Mackacham | | | A. Mullett | D. Mullet 2 |
| | | | | | | W. Riddout | T. M. O'Brien | | | N.J. Mullett | T. New- house |
| | H. Moore | | 5 | E. Woods | W. Gold | | | C.L. | F. Ball | | |
| 1 F Taylor | A. Luckhart | | | T. Drought | B Jack son | | | ۲ ٠۱ . | L. B. Mullett | | |

Township _____ 40 ____ Range ____ 20 ____ West of ___ 3rd ___ Meridian

Saskatoon Land Titles Office

| 3 | | John George Paterson | Elmer Charles | 3: | 3 | Harry Dodge | Edwin Johnston 4 | 3: | 5 | Norman Cook | Cost |
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| | | James Hasting Robertson | Flaming Robertson | | | Catherine Buchley | C.H Enderton A.C. Macdonald | | | Norman Cook | H. Meikle ham |
| Barn- hard | John Frederick Baker | s | 9 | Jennie Lantz | John Schnaider 8 | ےع | 7 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 5 |
| | Duncan Henderson | | | Tennie Lantz | Motilda Schneider | | | | | | |
| | | | Wm. C. Ackerman | 2 | | John Gohman 2 | Charles A Gee | 2 | 3 | Thomas White | 1 |
| - 1 | | Herbert James Ford | Allan Crowford | | | Abraham T. Patterson | Wasley | | | Oliver Claude Mc Kim | J. MeMi- chael |
| Stad- Shaw | Duncan Henderson | | 7 | Abraham Patterson | | | 5 | Oliver C. Mc Kim | Neilson Barnett McKim | | 3 — |
| H.B Cook | George | | | Abraham Patlerson | 1 - | | | Wilbert W. Wartman | Wartman | | |
| | | | • | | 3 | L.eo R. Beebe | Dugald Marwell | | | Abraham | FW. |
| | | | 8 — | | | Cephas Harry Ward | Adam Keys | | | Benjamin M. Gee | T.E. Cost- ello |
| Bilaci | David Gillan | | | George Campbell | Oscar Fee | | 3 | Thomas Laidley | Martha Ackermar | | |
| Peter | Gaorge W. | | 5 | C.S.B. Holmes | Herbert L. | |) | 1, | Fraderick O. Wheeler | 11 | |

Township ___ 41 __ Range __ 20 ___ West of __ 3rd __ Meridian

Battleford Land Titles Office

| c.e.r. 3 | C.P.R. | Harry Tyler | Matthew Colville | c.P.R. | C.P.R. | Charles W. Warren | Lewis Beatch | c. p. R. | c.p.R | Frederick Charles Barry | George clements |
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| CPR | c.P.R. | Charles P. Brown | Joseph Zavetski | C.P.R. | c.P.R. | William Francis Paddon | Charles Colville | c.P.R | c.P.R. | James A Colvilla | Aussel Reddon |
| 6 | Samuel J. Brown | Samuel Ishn Brown | crown | George N. Balkwill | | c.P.R. | c.P.R. | н.в.c _o . | Fred Lyons | c.P.R | c.P.R |
| Jahn | Nethaniel McLenaghan | Crawn | crown | William F. Iohnsten | Carl Louis Aultman | C.P.R | c.P.R. | H.B.Co. | н.в.с∙. | C.P.R | c.P.R. |
| c.P.R. | 6.P.R. | James E. wallace | Henry C. Luther | C.P.R. | C.P.R. | John Henry Paddon | John H. Paddon | C.P.R | c. P.R. | Edward H Suttle | Albert Evans |
| c.P.R | C.P.R. | Samuel Edgar Clark | John Larmour | C.P.R | C.P.R. | | Beauregard | C.P.R. | c. P. R. | James H. Suttle | Eurnost Evans |
| E.a. Wailiam | John Creegh | C.P.R. | C.P.R | O)e Evanson | Sanford Augustus Petrie | C.P.R. | c.e.r. | William 1. McCargar | David M. Black | CP.R | C P.R. |
| Lorn & H William | James alfred Bratt | c.P.R. | c.P.R. | Louis Harman Skapple | Charles A Schrump | C.P.R. | C.P.R. | Walter Archibald cunningham | <u> </u> | c.P.R. | c PA. |
| CPR. | CYR | Н. В .С» | Д В. С. | c. P. R. | c.P.R | Joseph W Sims | | Peter Fenrich | C rown | Fraderick | A.NC Smith |
| e.PR. | c.P.R. | H.B.co | H.B.Co. | c.P.R. | c.P.R. | Edgar Herman Covert | | Michael Fenrich | Сташп | Dovid M Black | John S. Rice |
| s.dqett | Charles Edward Pollon | c.P.R. | c.P.R. | Peter Arthur Howden | OLef Skapple | C.P.K | C.P.S. | William Rice | Samuel Reid | c.P.K | C.PR. |
| Earnest M: | Arthur N. Osmond. | c.P.R. | c .P.B. | Willard B Eaton | Wilbert Staples Natchett | c.P.K | C.PR. | Roy E. Miller | Daniel Frederick Rice | C.P.R | c.P.R. |

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| 3 | 1 | K. Melaran | P. Jepson Z | 3 | 3 | J. Hanley | Thos. Shea | 3 | 5 | Tach Campbell 3 | Harb Douglas |
| | | Mac. Deway | Mrs. Transman | | | Jack | Jim Scarrow | | | Swart z | Tack Dougles |
| Tem french | Chas. Simmons | s | 9 | G Dewar Z | Joa Stock | 2 | 7 | H.B.C. | Angus Farguson | 2 | = |
| Neil | Jas. Larmour | | | Larmour | A. | | | | H. B. Co. | | |
| | 9 | Nelson Hadgson 2 | S. Ovens | 2 | | Ab. Franch | Ramer | | 3 | Mrs. Douglas | D. Searne |
| • | | Hub Ovens | D+ Ovens | | | Walter | 1 | | | Bert Brown | Frank Brawn |
| Pinfold | Thos. Ovens B | 1 | 7 | J. Ovens | 1 1 | | 5 | | Anderson | il | 3 |
| 1 | Percy Ovens | | | Wm Patterson | A.P. | | | Raid | Wm. Reid | ' | |
| | | H. В. С. | н.в.с. | |) | Wm Postlethweite | Abram | | | H. Lavery | Russel Reid |
| | | µ.В.С₀ | H.B.Co. | | | %stidhweile | 1 | • | | | I.I Genn |
| | Robt. Bowins | | | H. Le drew. | W. Lyons | | 1 | G Steele | Robt. Raid | | |
| O. A. | Chas. Bowins | | | G. Emmerson | F. Handerson | | | steele | Bert Sharpe | | _ |

Township ___ 40 __ Range __ 21 __ _ West of _ 3rd _ Meridian Saskatoon Land Titles Office

| 3 | | Westerby 3 | S. A. Serip Z | 3 | ł | W.P. Carpenter 3 | 1 | | 35 | H. Johnson —— 3 H. | |
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| | | Delahoy | Delahoy, Jr. | | | S.A. Scrip | H.M. Olsen | | | Me Kanzie | |
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| J. | W. Culting | | | A. Jacobs | F. | | | | | | |
| |) | F. Smith | G. Jacobs | z | | G. Robertson | J. Fleming | | 23—— | A. Moberg | ME Berg- men 4 |
| | | | 1:10 | | | ľ | JA. | | | W.L. Olsen | A. |
| H. Phillips 1 : E | Hiram Phillips 3 | | τ | J. Blasy ——— 1 | W Rockwood G | 1 | 5 | F. Wellar. | T.F. Muir | | 3 |
| | J.C. Phillips | | | J Foley | W Stewart | | | A.J. Olsen | J. Olsen | | |
| | | 8 | | |) | M. Martin | J.L. Martin | 1 | | I. Bowins | A. Graen 2 |
| | | | | | | T. Sullivan | S.A. Scrip | | | A. Delong | G Bell |
| ખ. કોન્પની ———————————————————————————————————— | W Dempster | | | G Thompson | J. Thompson | | | | R.L. | | |
| e. Sinui | J. Benoit | | | C. Delong | W. Green | | | P. a. Delong | S.A. Scrip | | |

Township ___ 41 __ Range ___ 21 ___ West of _ 3rd __ Meridian

Battleford Land Titles Office

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| 3 | 1 | W.J. Armitage | Allan Bond | 3 | 3 | E. E. Thompson | C. G. Thompson | 3 | <u></u> | J. G. Simmons | Wm. Tyler 6 |
| | | D.C. Armitage | Wm.I. | | | George | | | 1 | P. D. McGragor | н. |
| Joseph Hent- Gomery | J.G. Thompson | s | 9 | Wm. A. Blackstock | Allen | 2 | 7 | H.B.C. | Robert James Brandon | 2 | 5 |
| <i>L.</i> L . | T. E. Fawell | | | Jas. Collins | Wm | | | H B.C. | H.B.Co. | | |
| | 9 | N W. Blachstock | | 2 | | Richard Blove 2 | | 2 | 3 | Mathew Brandon | Stephens |
| | | A.B. Smith | Robert Smith | | | Lance | l | | | W. H. Thomson | R.W Davies |
| Imrie | James Smith | | 7 | Victor Brocklebank | Alkms | 1 | 5 | Wm Geo. | George Benson | | 3 — |
| Geo Imrie | John Imric | | | R. S. Hamstock | Chas. | | | Chas Oatway | alfred | | |
| | r | | 3 | |) | Matt Kearne | Chas Creagh | 1 | | T. Brandon | E. Wozen- Craft 2 |
| | | | | | | George Kearne | , | | | B. Germain | Arl. Oell |
| Boldwan | William Henry Baldwin | | S | Henry Knuff | Angas | | 3 | | John Weish 2 | | |
| ₩ T | Phoneas | | | Amos Cramp | Albert Imrie | | | A.D Palmer | A.E. Palmer | | |

Township 42 Range 21 West of 3rd Meridian

Battleford Land Titles Office

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| C-PR | c.P.R. | George | John Craig | C.P.R. | İ | W. Erwickshank | J. Cruickshank | c.P.R. | c.P.R | Mike Shanahan | |
| 3 | c.e.R | John Cruickshank | Abe | c.PR | c.P.R | John Rowat | Theo | c.P.R | | w. Shana han | W. Ballan |
| T. H. Moore 3. | L. Meore | 2 | ۵ | N.H. Snider | W.A. Snider | C.P.R | | H. 6. C. | | c.PR | cp r |
| Ernasi Moore | J. Moore | | | | 1 | C.P.R. | 1 | H.B.C. | 1 | | c.PR. |
| C-P.R | c.P.R. | George Hope | EJ. Hope | c.e.e. | c.P.R. | N.C. Stewart | • | c.P.R. | | E.B. Gilbert | |
| c.P.R. | c.P.R. | Wm. Rowat | L. J. Raby | C.P.R | 1 | Andrew | 1 345- | CPR | | christena Rorke | ET. |
| Finley | Jas. H. Coe | C.P.R | C.P.R | II . | Elmar Wilson | C.P.R. | CPR | S.W. Hodgson | Allan a Rogers | | C.P.R. |
| Ernast | Henry Scotson | C.P.R. | c . P. R. | Maurice Povey | - | C.P.R. | c.P.R | Hubert Hodgson | Îsaac Hodgson | C.P.R. | 3, c.P.R. |
| e.P.R | c.P.R. | Н.В.С«- | H.B.Co | C.P. R | c. p. R | Chas. Clark | Wm. Allen Clark | | | il . | A.P. clark |
| ₽₹K | c.P.R. | н.в.с. | н.в Со | C.P.R | c.P.R | Jas. Wallace | W.C. Weir | | | D.C. Mc Whirter | psould Stephens |
| John Lloyd | w'm. Lloyd | C.P.R | C.P.R. | II . | H.E. Farrar | C.P.R | c.P. R. | John G. Stewart | Anson | C.P.R. | C.P.R. |
| Rob't V. Beaman | J.T. Hughes | C.P.R | c.PR | James Howden | William Brocklebank | C.P.R | c. P.R | Wm Mc Callum | Thos. H. Slack | C-P. R. | c.P.R. |

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Summary of Years Served

From 1910 to 1954

Figures shown mean inclusive service. \boldsymbol{X} indicates Council service also.

The Reeves Were:

| | 1. Black, F. A | 1910-1915 | (Dec.) |
|---|--------------------|-----------|--------|
| X | 2. Wallace, Jas. | 1916-1919 | (Dec.) |
| X | 3. McAuslan, R. J. | 1920-1935 | (Dec.) |
| | 4. Lloyd, James | 1936-1943 | |
| X | 5. Owens, W. T | 1944-1947 | |
| X | 6. Martin, J. L. | 1948-1955 | |

Councillors

| Division 1 | Codine | Mullett, L. B. (Dec.) | 1913-1915 |
|-------------------------|-----------|--|---------------------|
| Harvey, James (Dec.) | 1910-1911 | Cotter, Alex (Dec.) | |
| Fisher, A. H. | | Halpenny, A. F. (Dec.) | |
| 1 101101, 11. 11. | 1925-1936 | Duncan, A. | |
| Ketcheson, J. F. (Dec.) | 1917-1925 | Weber, Louis | |
| Johnston, T. M. (Dec.) | 1937-1946 | Hunter, T. | |
| Haase, W. F. | 1947-1952 | Tiunver, 1. Vision in the second of the seco | |
| Kuntz, R. A. | 1953-1954 | Division 5 | |
| Miller, R. | 1955 | Larmour, J. M. | 1910 |
| Division 2 | | | 1914 1933-1952 |
| Maxwell, D. F. (Dec.) | 1910 | Magee, J. (Dec.) | 1911-1912 |
| Campbell, John | 1911-1912 | Lowing, B. A | |
| Muir, T. F | | Dewar, A. C. (Dec.) | |
| | 1917-1919 | Donald, A. M. (Dec.) | |
| Keys, Adam | | Ovens, A. P. (Dec.) | |
| Allen, Geo. H. (Dec.) | | Gordon, J. H. | |
| Taylor, Walter W. | | McKenna, W. L. | |
| Dell, Arthur | | | |
| Buxton, Samuel | | Division 6 | |
| Weber, John | 1952 | Brockelbank, Wm. (Dec.) | 1910-1912 |
| Division 3 | | Lloyd, John | . 1913 1925-1939 |
| Code, W. G. (Dec.) | 1910-1912 | Wallace, Jas. (Dec.) | |
| Imrie, W. J. (Dec.) | 1913-1934 | Stewart, N. C. (Dec.) | |
| Martin, J. L. | 1935-1947 | McAuslan, R. J. (Dec.) | |
| Jacobs, F. M. | 1948-1952 | Beggs, F. R. | |
| Cumming, G. R. | 1953 | Owens, W. T. | |
| Division 4 | | Topley, E. R. (Dec.) | |
| Bellamy, Geo. F. (Dec.) | 1910-1911 | Maze, H. L. | |
| Alder, William | 1912 | Code, A. W | |
| • | | | |

Combined Service Record in Years (6 to 24)

| Halpenny, A. F. (Dec.) | yrs | Johnston, T. M. (Dec.) | 0 yrs |
|--------------------------|-----|------------------------------|-------|
| Imrie, W. J. (Dec.) 22 | yrs | Lloyd James (Reeve) | 8 yrs |
| Larmour, J. M. 22 | yrs | Ketcheson, J. F. (Dec.) | 8 yrs |
| Martin J. L. (Reeve & 20 | yrs | Owens, W. T. (Reeve &) | 8 yrs |
| McAuslan, R. J. (Dec.) | yrs | Duncan, A. | 8 yrs |
| Reeve & | | Black, F. A. (Dec.) (Reeve) | 6 yrs |
| Fisher, A. H 17 | yrs | Wallace, Jas. (Dec.) (Reeve) | 6 yrs |
| Lloyd, John16 | yrs | Muir, T. F. | 6 yrs |
| Allen, G. H. (Dec.) 12 | yrs | Buxton, S. | 6 yrs |
| Dell, A12 | yrs | Maze, H. L. | 6 yrs |
| Ovens, A. P. (Dec.)12 | yrs | Haase, W. F. | 6 yrs |

In all 48 various gentlemen have comprised the Council in the 45 year period, 27 having held office from 1 to 5 years, the aforementioned 21 have held office 6 to 24 years inclusive.

Secretaries

Harvey, F. J. (Dec.) 1910-1915 Martin, C. H. (Dec.) 1916-1923 & first half ______ 1924 Lauman, J. W. last half 1924

Beggs, F. R. 1925-1955

Assistant Secretaries

Mrs. W. O. Smyth

Mrs. T. Gordon (nee Hazel Thompson)

Mrs. I. Cook (nee Irene Smith)

Mrs. J. B. Roach

D. C. Beggs

C. R. Beggs

R.M. 409 Statistical Record

| Taxable Valuation | Mun. Tax | | Year | School Rates Range | Hospitals U. & W. | uation I mill ssment ch re- quired |
|----------------------|----------|-------|------|-----------------------|-------------------|---|
| 3,750,160 | 5 M. | | 1941 | 3 to 14 M. | ½-1 M. | lua al ssn ich ich |
| 3,739,660 | 5.3 | (NA) | 2 | 3 to 14 | 1 | va cip isse wh re |
| 2,403,570 | 8 | (NA) | 3 | 2 to 18 | 1-2 | um uni 8, 8 |
| 2,390,810 | 8 | (SAG) | 4 | 2 to 18 | 1-2 | edii M nev 194 |
| 2,390,520 | 8 | | 5 | 2 to 18 | 1-2 | nge of in |
| 2,390,470 | 8 | (LU) | 6 | 11 - 28 | 1-2 (I. Area) | the ergers sst re re icat |
| 2,383,680 | 7 | | 7 | 13 - 25 | 1 | od t ave g col ctive ndic |
| 2,366,290 | 8 | (CPR) | 8 | 14 - 25 | Nil (HR) | o if a grading |
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| 2,410,220 | 17 | | 5 | 23 - 38 | 1 | Dur was rate levi levi duc |

The Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Unsurance Association

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TELEPHONE 22771

The men and women who settled on these prairies in the early years of this century could not envision the progress that would follow their first efforts.

Of this the story of The Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance Association is an illustration. From nothing but an idea supported by the courage and patience of many people there has been developed a democratically governed municipal organization which insures against hail damage the crops of about 35% of the farmers of the Province, who were paid by their own Association over Three Million Dollars for losses last year.

It is interesting to note that the Rural Municipality of Buffalo No. 409 was under the operations of the Hail Insurance Commission from its inception in 1913 until it was succeeded in the year 1917 by The Saskatchewan Municipal Hail Insurance Association, which has had the Municipality's continuous support right up to the present.

After a review of the accomplishments of our past I am convinced that the future offers our people the prospect of full useful lives and a large measure of happiness.

In this Jubilee Year I am very happy to extend best wishes to the pioneers and all the people of Joseph Hill the Rural Municipality of Buffalo No. 409.

British Sovereigns

| House of Stuart | | House of Hanover | |
|-------------------------|--------|------------------------------|------|
| James I | 1603 | George I | 1714 |
| Charles I | 1625 | George II | 1727 |
| Commonwealth | | George III | 1760 |
| Parliamentary Executive | 1649 | George IV | 1820 |
| · · | | William IV | 1830 |
| Protectorate | 1653 | Victoria | 1837 |
| House of Stuart | | | |
| Charles II | 1660 | House of Saxe-Coburg & Gotha | |
| James II | . 1685 | Edward VII | 1901 |
| House of Stuart-Orange | | THE C NAVIOLATION | |
| William and Mary | 1689 | House of Windsor | 1010 |
| William III | 1694 | George V | 1910 |
| William III | 1034 | Edward VIII | 1936 |
| House of Stuart | | George VI | 1936 |
| Anne | 1702 | Queen Elizabeth II (Feb. 7) | 1952 |



Dr. Robert Ovens, M.D. 1906, Mrs. Ovens, Julia M. and Mary. S.E. 20-42-20.

The snapshot shows Dr. Robert Ovens, Mrs. Ovens and their daughters, Mrs. J. M. Wright (Julia) and Mrs. W. P. Meakin (Mary) now of Macklin, Sask.

Dr. Robert Ovens came west in 1904, seven doctors all from Ontario were in the party who homesteaded in the now Ovenstown and Rockhaven districts. Two were Bentleys, Dr. A. Jones and four Ovens.

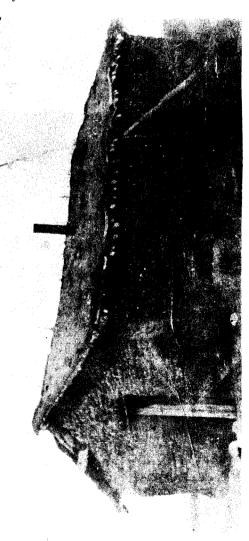
Dr. Ovens located on the SE 20-42-20 now held by his eldest daughter, Mrs. J. M. Wright.

The doctor practised over a wide territory and was highly regarded, using a team of ponies until 1910 when he purchased a car. He was candidate in Provincial election of 1912.

Ovenstown S.D. No. 1802 was named after this family.



1910-N.E. 24-41-20. Thackeray Area Left to Right, Standing: Wm. Alder and T. H. Evans. Seated: Albert Evans and Frank Newton.



First School, Ovenstown No. 1602. Opener Nov. 4th, 1907. Mrs. Maud Larmou Teacher.

Homemakers Message

In 1914 a group of local women under the leadership of the late Mrs. Maud McAuslan met in the Swarthmore church and with the guidance of Mrs. Storer, of Battleford, formed the Swarthmore Homemakers Club.

In 1922 the District area was organized with Mrs. Orton, of Cut Knife the first President and was named the Swarthmore Homemakers District after the first club. The organization has continued to function and expand. Many women have found much benefit and pleasure from the good fellowship which enables all to participate without distinction.

The Provincial Homemakers have been instrumental in recommending improvements in various fields of endeavor. Their programs include Agriculture, Arts and Letters, Education, Health, Home Economics, International Relations and Legislation. They have been responsible for elevating the general status of women and have developed capable leaders. The various clubs enthusiastically attend the District Convention and each district makes a distinct contribuion.

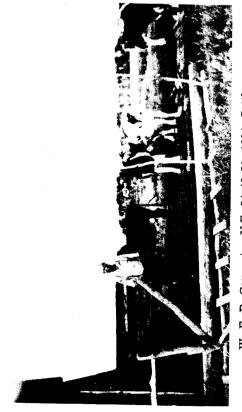
Their Provincial Annual Conventions held at the University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, have received wide recognition.

The local origin and name have continued over the 42 year period, gaining friends and enlarging their field of activity. The present Swarthmore executive is as follows:

| President Mrs. H. W. Delahoy |
|------------------------------------|
| 1st Vice-Pres Mrs. J. E. Fawell |
| 2nd Vice-Pres Mrs. P. M. Greenwood |
| SecTreas. Mrs. W. Fleming |
| Ass't Sec Mrs. E. M. Lloyd |



Left to Right, Back Row: Mesdames J. W. Barker, E. G. Parker, J. Hoar, L. B. Mullett, G. M. Phelps, G. T. Powell. Front Row: S. Kerr, N. J. Newhouse, C. Stork, C. R. Mullett and R. W. Crump children.



W. E. F. Carpenter N.E. 34-40-21, 1904, S

LOCAL

JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS

| BATTLEFORD July 17th, 18th & 19th, 19th |
|---|
| NORTH BATTLEFORD July 17th, 195 |
| CUTKNIFE July 15th, 195 |
| SWARTHMORE July 6th, 198 |
| UNITY July 20th & 21st, 195 |
| WILKIE July 13th, 195 |

A Little of Everything

What is poetry?

Everything is poetry — The singing winds, the azure sea, The slender willow's silver leaves, The sunlight slanted on the eaves. A shadow on a distant hill, A lonely sounding whippoorwill. A pine's dark spire against the sky, A country road, a firefly. A child's angelic smile of joy, The bubbling laughter of a boy. A cobweb spun like finest lace, The wisdom of an old man's face. A pair of hands, workworn and soiled, The fertile fields wherein they toiled. The smell of lilacs in the spring -There's poetry in everything.

D. D. CLIFF.

284, Old Orchard Grove, Toronto, Ont.

The old Sounding Lake and Tramping Lake trails could relate many experiences when they were the only common roads available to the settlers south-west of Battleford and are still visible in places.



Unity Hospital, opened July 23rd, 1923 by Hon. C. A. Dunning, Premier of Saskatchewan

1920 - 1955

Unity Hospital Board

35 Years

| R.M. 409 Board Members | | Secretary-Treasurer | |
|-----------------------------|-----------|-------------------------------------|-----------|
| F. R. Beggs A. Knuff (Dec.) | 1923-1933 | W. E. Atkison (Dec.) J. Glendinning | |
| R. V. Beaman J. Lloyd | 1938-1940 | J. J. Willett | 1924-1930 |
| W. T. Owens F. M. Jacobs | | J. Needham (Dec.) J. P. Fawcett | |

Chairman

| H. P. Moffatt | 1920-1930 |
|----------------------|-----------|
| W. E. Atkison (Dec.) | 1931-1945 |
| J. W. Horsman | |
| R. V. Beaman | 1949-1955 |

Number of Patients served in 1954 — 1059.



G. F. Bellamy S.E. 25-41-19 Councillor Div. 4, 1910-1911 with N. J. Newhouse



Wilkie Hospital, Sept. 16, 1929

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Wilkie Hospital Board

28 Years

| Board Members R.M. 409 | | Chairman | | | | |
|------------------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|-----------|--|--|--|
| Allen, G. H. (Dec.) | | Irvine, C. H. (Dec.) Beggs, F. R. | 1930-1935 | | | |
| Fisher, A. H. | | Crosby, J. F. | | | | |
| Martin, J. L. | 1940-1955 | Carter, E. N. | | | | |
| Ovens, A. P. (Dec.) | | Halliday, C. E. | | | | |
| Wright, J. P. (Dec.) | 1934-1939 | Fisher, A. H. | | | | |
| Duncan, A. | 1945-1952 | Hill, Dr. V. R. | 1946-1955 | | | |
| Buxton, Mrs. G. S. | 1946-1950 | Secretary-Treasurer | | | | |
| Coleman, Mrs. H. | 1951-1955 | Dinsley, T. A. | 1928-1945 | | | |
| McKenna, W. L. | 1953-1954 | Seaman, R. A. | 1946 | | | |
| Hunter, T. | 1955 | Moore, W. J. | 1947-1955 | | | |

Hospital Patients served in 1954 - 1325.

During the past two decades, medical science and hospitalization have advanced tremendously. Consequently, hospital directorates and boards have had to assume greatly increased responsibilities in providing modern facilities required to keep abreast with the progress made in this field.

The Wilkie Union Hospital Board has been conscious of this renaissance and has always been alert to the requisites of this community. Therefore, with the good fortune of having a competent and skilled medical staff, the board has been able to provide a complete service to the ailing citizens of this district, and I trust this attitude will prevail in the future.

V. R. HILL, Chairman of the Board

Health Region No. 13. North Battleford

Office-Notre Dame Hospital

Phone 2492

| Regional Medical H | lealth Officers | Secretaries of Region | onal Board |
|---|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------------|
| Dr. M. Dantow Dr. W. A. MacDonald Dr. B. T. Dale Dr. C. F. W. Hames | 1947 1948 1949 1950-1955 | Beggs, F. R. Dale, Dr. B. T. Hames, Dr. C. F. W. | 1948 1949 1950-1955 |

Chairmen of the Regional Board

Burlingham, E. C. 1948-1950

Dowd, F. J. 1951-1955

REGIONAL BOARD MEMBERS

| Battleford Rural | Turtleford | |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|--|
| Bater, A. J 1948-49 | Head, C. E 1948-55 | |
| Dowd, F. J | | |
| Guy Watson | Unity | |
| Hebson, B. (Dec.) 1948-49 | Beggs, F. R | |
| Morrison, W | Gauley, T | |
| Tucker, G. D. (1950) | Grill, J | |
| Walker, J. G. (50-51) 1954-55 | Knowles, G. P. 1951-55 | |
| Lloydminster | Needham, J. (Dec.) | |
| Burlingham, E. C. 1948-52 | Tucker, R. W 1948 | |
| MacCullie, J | | |
| Nielsen, H. V | City of North Battleford | |
| Noyes, R. J. R | Winder, Ald. N. J | |

The region was established in August, 1947. Since that time full-time public health workers have attempted to improve the health conditions and to prevent the spread of disease among some 64,000 people in this northwest section of Saskatchewan.

An extensive immunization program has eliminated the fear of smallpox, whooping cough, diphtheria, etc. on an epidemic basis. Constant inspections by the Sanitary officers have improved the public eating and drinking establishments. Public interest can assist.

When the Region was formed our biggest concern was immunization against disease, today this is little more than routine work for our nurses. Instead we are becoming more and more concerned with problems of our modern age, safety and the degenerate diseases of an aging population. But whatever the difficulty, residents within the North Battleford Health Region can rest assured that a conscientious staff is very near the public health welfare.

ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS LEAGUE

On March 23rd, 1911 the League was incorporated by an act of the legislature. The Fort Qu'-Appelle Sanatorium was opened with 60 beds on October 10th, 1917 and enlarged to 260 beds in January 1919. The Saskatoon Sanatorium was opened in April, 1925 and the Prince Albert Sanatorium in January, 1930. Today we have 867 T.B. Beds.

Larger School Unit No. 58

| 1946 - 1955 | NORTH BATTL | EFORD, SASK. 10 | Year Period |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Board Members | | Chairmen | |
| L. Bater | 1954-1955 | W. Guy | 1946-1949 |
| W. Bridge | 1954-1955 | J. Nyholt (Dec.) | 1949 |
| Mrs. B. L. Brock | 1950-1954 | J. S. Nutting | 1950-1955 |
| G. L. Caplette | 1946-1954 | | |
| Geo. Dove | 1949-1955 | | |
| H. C. Fearnley | 1946-1947 | Secretaries | |
| H. F. Foston | 1949-1954 | R. B. Calder | 1946 |
| W. Guy | 1946-1949 | A. E. Herman | 1946-1948 |
| M. Iverson | 1955 | Miss Jean Larson | 1948 |
| C. J. Nelson (Dec.) | 1946-1948 | F. C. Bray | 1948-1950 |
| J. S. Nutting | 1949-1955 | Mrs. A. Peppinck | 1950 |
| W. D. Phelps | 1949-1953 | J. E. McGuire | 1950-1951 |
| G. Ranger | 1955 | Mrs. A. Peppinck | 1951 |
| H. L. Roberge | 1946-1949 | B. M. McKinnon | 1951-1955 |
| Districts operating | g — 69. | Schools closed — 19. | |
| Total attendance i | n operating schools | — 1,584. | |
| Drummond Creek L.U. 58 in R.M. 4 | | Star View S.D. No. 1599 are within | |

In August 1884 the first Territorial School Law was passed in Saskatchewan. This was to arrange for the organization of School Districts, the payment of grants and general supervision of schools.

Larger School Unit No. 59 WILKIE, SASK.

| Board Members | | Chairmen |
|------------------|-----------|-------------------------------|
| O. A. Bentley | 1950-1955 | P. L. Margot (Dec.) 1946-1949 |
| G. Forbes | 1946-1955 | G. Forbes 1950-1955 |
| W. R. Grant | 1950-1955 | |
| C. J. Greenwood | 1949-1950 | |
| W. A. Haight | | |
| | 1951-1955 | |
| B. Hebson (Dec.) | 1946-1949 | |
| W. G. McConnell | 1946-1949 | |
| | 1952-1955 | Secretaries |
| T. Salewski | 1950-1951 | F. C. Bray |
| W. Bieber | 1954-1955 | J. Churchill |

Districts operating — 65

Schools closed — 17

Total attendance in operating schools — 1,743. Town of Wilkie No. 2143 joined the L.U. in 1954.

| R.M. 409 | Schools | 1906-1925 |
|------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| Name | Dist. No. | Date Gazetted |
| Adanac | 2210 | Oct. 23, 1908 |
| Carluke | 4617 | April 30, 1925 |
| Cleavering | 3747 | May 18, 1916 |
| Coldspring | 1866 | Aug. 9, 1907 |
| Cottesloe | 4836 | Jan. 16, 1930 |
| Drummond Creek | 2406 | July 8, 1909 |
| Fairyland | 3907 | May 19, 1917 |
| Glenlogan | 1864 | Aug. 9, 1907 |
| Happyland | 1732 | Feb. 12, 1907 |
| Langmarch | 3683 | Feb. 21, 1916 |
| Madawaska | 2238 | Dec. 8, 1908 |
| Maxwell | 2427 | July 23, 1909 |
| Narrow Lake | 1595 | July 19, 1906 |
| Nottawa | 2112 | June 9, 1908 |
| Ovenstown | 1802 | April 24, 1907 |
| Phippen | 2080 | May 9, 1908 |
| Rockhaven | 3707 | April 6, 1916 |
| Spy Ridge | 4178 | April 19, 1919 |
| Star View | 1599 | Aug. 15, 1906 |
| Swarthmore | 1484 | March 1, 1906 |
| Tako | 1647 | Oct. 25, 1906 |
| Thackeray | 3222 | Feb. 12 1914 |
| Weewona | 855 | May 23, 1912 |
| Willowview | 4597 | Jan. 8, 1925 |
| Wilkie Town | 2143 | July 24, 1908 |
| The Larger Units | commenced | operation in 1946. |

Fig. 1. The second seco

Left to Right, First Row: A. J. Creagh, W. Shury, R. Bleue, T. H. Slack, C. Stephens. Second Row: A. G. Smith, D. C. Gillan, O. Stephens, J. A. Collville. Third Row: S. Buxton, E. B. Gilbert, E. Shepherd and T. Newhouse. (Back to School.)

Rural Telephone Companies

1914-1917

| | Gazetted | Phones |
|-------------|----------|--------|
| Adanac | 1914 | |
| Cutknife | 1915 | 4 |
| Eagle Hills | 1916 | 2 |
| Narrow Lake | 1915 | 79 |
| Phippen | 1917 | 40 |
| Rockhaven | 1915 | 72 |
| Scott | 1915 | |
| Unity | 1915 | 43 |
| Wilkie | 1917 | 7 |

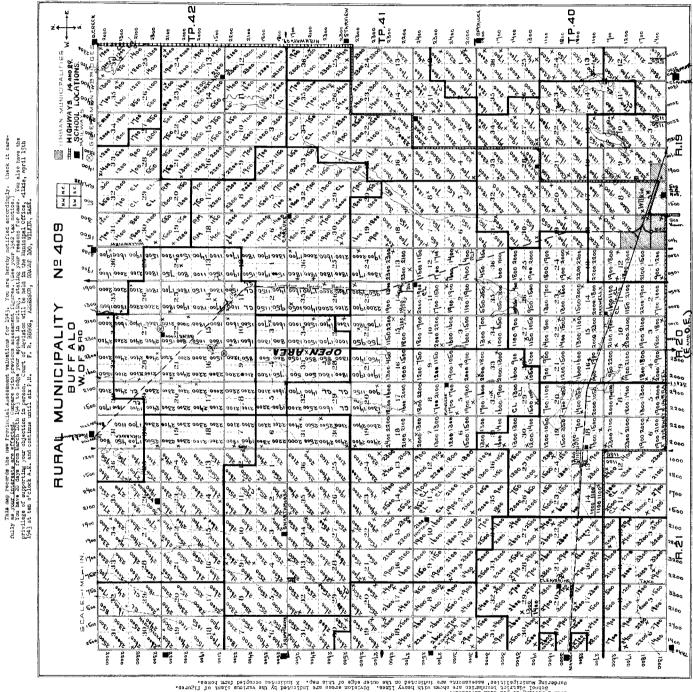
Adanac and Unity and Ibstone and Wilkie East have been amalgamated.

758 quarters are taxed with 247 telephone connections.



REEVE W. T. OWENS W. T. Owens, Reeve 1944-1947

Illustrious pioneers who homesteaded in R.M. 409. They have contributed to a decade of expansion and now enjoy supervisory privilege.

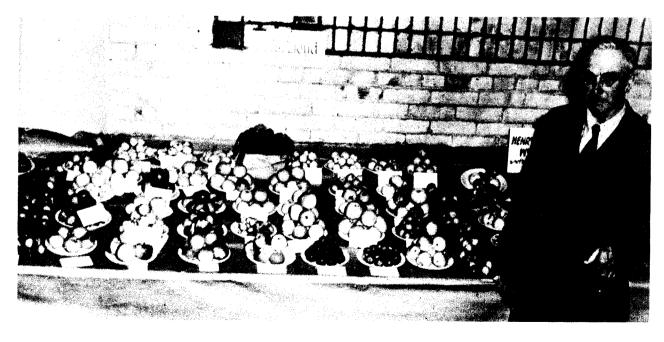


Adanac Brass Band



Adanac Brass Band, July, 1907. Shown are: Gordon Thompson, John L. Martin, (Band Master) Andrew Caston, Lloyd King, Pearl King, Elizabeth Miller, Dr. (Twig) Patterson, C. A. DeLong, Jack Fleming, Edward Johnston, Jessie Jacobs, Clarence Imrie, Leo Biggar, Frank Halliday, James Steel and Roy King.

John Lloyd's Fruit Exhibit



John Lloyd's Fruit Exhibit grown on N.W. of 6-42-21.

Verdict of Tomorrow

Men never dream that history In retrospect will see

How blind, how narrow, obsolete Their prejudice will be;

How those whom now they scorn with hate As barriers that stand

Between them and their greed for power All honor will command.

They never dream that years will bring New vision that will prove

Their vain ambitions as a curse Time's wisdom will remove.

They do not look beyond the now For motives high and pure

That souls with inner sight possess
To steadfastly endure.

-Della Adams Leitner

Scared of the future?

More than a few are —

But the future itself
Is as shaky as you are.

—North Battleford News Optimist

Farming is Different

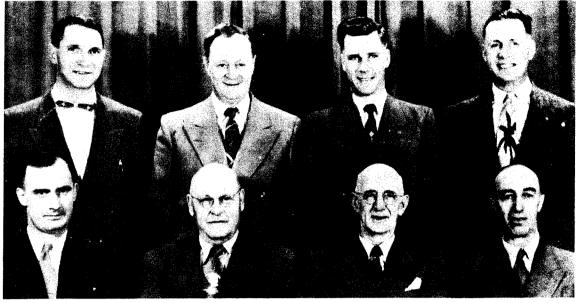
Farming has been, since the beginning of history, something different, something set apart. There is a flavour in farm life with a fundamental appeal to human nature, as witness the number of people who express the hope that some day they will achieve their life-long ambition; to live on their own farm. Besides being a certain source of satisfaction to the individuals concerned, it is effective in meeting the food needs of the country.

Those who see deeper than others appreciate the character and dignity of rural life and work. The farm provides independence, the satisfaction of close communion with nature, and health-giving qualities. These are essential ideals of humanity, and must not be deprecated, but there is the other — and an important — side to farming. It is a business, and a business must yield an income. There must be enough financial return to make possible the achievement of the dividends of life that advanced farmers desire.

Memorandum Page

The secretary would like to record appreciation to those who have contributed valuable assistance in the compilation of this jubilee manual,

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Buffalo Council 1955

Front Row, Left to Right: W. L. McKenna, Div. 5, F. R. Beggs, Sec.-Treas., J. L. Martin, Reeve, T. Hunter, Div. 4. Standing: A. W. Code, Div. 6, J. Weber, Div. 2, A. Miller, Div. 1, G. R. Cumming Div. 3.



1937-8-9

Buffalo

Council

Front Row, Left to Right: Irene Cook, T. M. Johnston, J. Lloyd, F. R. Beggs. Standing: John Lloyd, A. Dell, J. L. Martin, J. M. Larmour, A. F. Halpenny.



W. G. Code, N.W. 14-41-21. Councillor Div. 3, 1910-1912.



Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dewar, S.E. 28-42-20. Councillor Div. 5, 1915-1916. Homestead Inspector 1911-1917.

1955

TAX NOTICE

Rural Municipality of Buffalo No. 409 wilkie, saskatchewan

PAY'NOW—SAVE 6%

TELEPHONE TAXES ARE NOT DISCOUNTABLE

Discount on Current Taxes

On amounts over \$10.00 6% if Paid in JUNE

5% if paid before Oct. 1 4% if paid before Nov. 1 2% if paid before Dec. 1

CURRENT TAX RATES

| 1. Municipal Purposes T.B. Demand Health Region 13, N.B. | 15 Mills 1 Mill |
|---|--|
| (Gen. \$575.50) and DR. Unity & Wilkie Hospitals Combined Mun. Levy | 1 Mill 1 Mill 18 Mills |
| 2. School Unit No. 58 School Unit No. 59 25 | 23 Mills 5-26 Mills 29 Mills 38 Mills |
| 3. Telephone Taxes (F | lat Rate) |
| 4. Hail Flat Rate 2 cents Crop Rate (?) | per acre |

REVENUE FUND BALANCE SHEET

| All revenue fund cash balances | | Bank overdraft |
|--|-------------|---|
| All revenue fund bank balances | \$ 6.196.32 | Temporary Loans: |
| Investments: | VVVVVV | • • |
| | 500.00 | General bank loan General bank loan |
| Dominion of Canada Province of Saskatchewan | 7. 200 00 | |
| | | Due Prov. of Sask |
| Province of | | *************************************** |
| Other (specify) | | |
| Accounts Receivable: | 16 127 02 | Accounts Payable: |
| Agricultural aids, per schedule | 10,121,02 | Deminion of Cana |
| Social Aid, per schedule | | Province of Saskat |
| Hospital and Medical charges | 20,00 | Due other municip |
| Agreements of sale - Options | 500,00 | General Accounts |
| Province of Sask.—(specify) S. Aid | | Overpaid taxes |
| Province of Sask.—(specify) S. Aid | 76.25 | Due to Other Fun |
| nail commissions | 109.31 | *************************************** |
| Sprayer | 80.00 | Debenture coupons m |
| Other municipalities, schools, etc | | Princ. \$ |
| | | Tax levy liabilities, p |
| | | Contingent liabilities |
| Due from Other Funds (specify) | | Other Liabilities: |
| Street Funds (specify) | | Unearned revenue |
| | 1 | |
| ••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••• | | Suspense |
| Taxes Receivable: | | Reserves for uncollec |
| All taxes, per schedule | | Agricultural aids |
| Health services personal taxes | | Social Aid |
| | | Hospital and Medic |
| Tax title property (at cost) | 381.54 | Taxes |
| Supplies on hand: | | Tax title property |
| | | Reserves for continge |
| **** | | Reserves for future u |
| Other assets (specify): | | |
| Deposit - Land Titles | | |
| Office | 50.00 | |
| | | |
| Andrik Habilitan aman anaka | 1 | Surplus assets over |
| Deficit—liabilities over essets | | |
| Total | \$71,395.64 | |

| BALANCE SHEET | |
|--|--------------|
| Bank overdraft | |
| Temporary Loans: | |
| General bank loans, principal | |
| Outside the second second second | |
| Due Prov. of Sask., per schedule | \$ 22,053.32 |
| *************************************** | |
| Accounts Payable: | |
| Deminion of Canada | |
| Province of Saskatchewan | |
| Due other municipalities | |
| General Accounts Pavable | 985.00 |
| Overpaid taxes | 18.00 |
| Due to Other Funds (specify) | |
| | |
| Debenture coupons matured: | |
| | |
| Princ. \$ Int. \$ Tax levy liabilities, per schedule | 22,792.77 |
| Contingent liabilities, per schedule | |
| Other Liabilities: | |
| Unearned revenue (incl. prepaid taxes) | |
| Suspense | 1 |
| Personner for uncellestibles | 1 |
| Agricultural aids | 5,000.00 |
| Social Aid | 1 |
| Hospital and Medical charges | |
| Taxes | 6,866.88 |
| Tax title property | 174.54 |
| Reserves for contingencies | |
| Reserves for future unspecified expenditures | |
| manufactures and the second control of the s | 1 |
| Surplus—assets over liabilities | 13,505.13 |
| Total | \$ 71,395.64 |

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR 1954 REVENUE

| Taxation: General municipal levy \$.40,959.06 | | Tax enforcement costs | |
|---|---|--|------------|
| | 40,959,06 | | I |
| Less current taxes cancelled \$ | | Work done for private parties (net profit) | ••• |
| Amusement taxes | 62,416,78 | Total to summary | \$ 462.1 |
| Health services levy (property—incl. dental) | | Recreation and Community Services: | |
| Health services levy (property—incl. dental) | | Weigh scales fees | |
| Union hospital tax levy | 2,408,03 | Municipal pasture fees | |
| Total to summary | | Cemetery fees | |
| icences to summary | | Seed cleaning | l l |
| Rents (incl. equipment) to summary | | Total to summary | |
| Tines (incl. Poundage) to summary | | Contributions, Grants and Subsidies: | 1 |
| nterest, Tax Penalties, etc. | | Dominion of Canada | |
| Net penalty on tax arrears (incl. school units) | \$1.088.31 | Province of Sask., social aid | \$ 610.00 |
| Interest on agreements | | Province of Sask., roads | |
| Interest on advances | 205.35 | Province of Sask., medical aid | |
| Interest on bonds and bank balances | 170.00 | Province of Sask., other (specify) | |
| | | Civil defence exp. recovered | \$ 610.00 |
| Total to summary | \$ 1,463.66 | Total to summary | \$ 010.00 |
| ervice Charges: | | Miscellaneous: | |
| Commission on Public Revenue tax | | Profit on property sold | |
| Commission on Hail tax | \$ 157.38 | Sale of supplies (net profit) Poison | \$ 3.0 |
| Commission on Sask, Hosp'n Tax | 303,23 | Patronage dividend | |
| Certificate fees | 1.50 | | |
| | *************************************** | Total to summary | \$ 3.0 |
| | EXPEN | DITURE | |
| eneral Government: | \$ 857.20 | Protection, Person and Property: | |
| Council indemnity | 7/ | Fire protection in hamlets | - |
| Reeve supervising office | 16.00 | Policing | # 17 00 |
| SecTreas. salary | 3,400.00 303.23 | Street lighting Phippen | \$ 41.00 |
| Commissions paid | | Destruction of pests: | |
| | 311.95 | Gophers | 1 |
| | 763.57 | Grasshoppers | |
| | | Crows | |
| | 59,50 | Weeds on roads | |
| - 1 | 318.13 | Weed inspection Control | 606.5 |
| • | i i | - · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | - [|
| Tax enforcement | 104.46 | Pounds | 1 21.01 |
| Elections | 67.37 | Bovine T.B. | 700 00 |
| Travelling expense | 270.00 | Pure bred sire areas | |
| Superannuation | | Vaccine | - |
| Light and fuel | 190.50 | Poison | l . |
| Office repair and maintenance | 42.14 | Agric, Conservation Comm. | |
| Sewer and Water | 13.50 | Total to summary | \$ 768.52 |
| Insurance (fire) | | Maintenance Public Works: | ļ |
| Unemployment insurance (general) | | | 1,211,50 |
| Damage claims (general) | | Supervision | 9 000 70 |
| Damage claims (sheep) | 1 | Bridges | 1 |
| Maintenance municipal property | ļ | Culverts | 1 1 985 23 |
| Sundry (specify) Committees | 91.60 | Sidewalks | i i |
| Caretaking | | Demosts and down | |
| Other Supervision | 55.20 | Machinery repairs or rentals | 2,022,4 |
| Sec-Treas. Bond | 35.00 | Right of way leased | 1 |
| Presentation | | | 1 232 57 |
| S.A.R.M. Fee | | Workmen's compensation insurance Unemployment insurance | |
| Wreaths | | | |
| | | *************************************** | |
| Total to summary | \$7,200.20 | | \$14,479. |

EXPENDITURE

| Sanitation and Waste Removal: | 1 | Recreation and Community Services: | # 700 00 |
|--|------------|------------------------------------|-----------|
| Nuisance grounds | | Rest rooms | \$ 100,00 |
| Garbage and waste collection | | Parks | |
| *************************************** | | Weigh scales | |
| | · | Cemeteries | 180,00 |
| Total to summary | | Public wells | |
| Health: | | Municipal pastures | |
| General: Vital statistics | | Seed cleaning | |
| Public Health: | | Total to summary | \$ 280.00 |
| Med. Health Off. (excl. Mun. Dr. salary) | | Debt Charges: | |
| Public Health Services (preventive) | | Debenture, principal | |
| Clinics (incl. inoculations) | | Debenture, interest | |
| Epidemics | | Interest, general loans | \$ 25.61 |
| Curative Services: | | Interest, relief loans | |
| *Medical, Dental, etc | { | Interest, seed grain loans | |
| First Aid kits | | Interest on debenture coupons | |
| Sanatoria levy | \$1,765.88 | Bank charges | |
| Health Region levy | | | |
| Hospital Care: Board indemnity | | | |
| Union Hospital levy | 2,408.03 | Total to summary | \$ 25.61 |
| Hospitalization tax for indigents | 80.20 | Provision for Reserves: | |
| | | Agricultural aids | |
| | \$4,828.61 | Direct relief | |
| Social Welfare: | | Taxes | |
| Social aid (gross cost) | \$ 610.00 | Tax title property | |
| _ | | Contingencies | |
| Neglected children | 1 | | |
| Grants (charities only) | 188.61 | Total to summary | |
| Burial of indigents | | Miscellaneous: | |
| | | Grants (other than charities) | * 100,00 |
| | | Discount on current taxes | 1,192.38 |
| | | Disaster emergencies | |
| Total to summary | \$ 700 41 | Civil defence | |
| Education: | \$ 798.61 | | |
| Total school levies (incl. net penalties for units | 62.959.03 | | |
| Grants or tuition fees to schools | | | , |
| Total to summary | 60.050.03 | Total to summary | |

^{*} Medical Services—to include grant or salary to physician or nurse and medical attention to indigents.

SUMMARY OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

| Expenditure: | . | Revenue: | 1 |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|------------|
| General government | <u> 7.200.20</u> | Taxation | 105,783.87 |
| Protection person and property | 100.54 | Licences and permits | |
| Maintenance public works | 14.479.75 | Rents and Concessions | |
| Sanitation and waste removal | | Fines | 1 |
| Health | 4,828,61 | Interest, tax penalties, etc. | |
| Social welfare | 798,61 | Service charges | 462.11 |
| Education | 62,959,03 | Recreation and community services | |
| Recreation and community services | 280,00 | Contributions, grants and subsidies | |
| Debt charges | 25.61 | Miscellaneous | |
| Provision for reserves | | Surplus from previous years (if used) | |
| Miscellaneous | 1,292,38 | | 1 |
| Capital expenditure | 2,652,20 | | |
| Capital Trust Fund Instalments | | | |
| Deficits from previous years | | | |
| Sub total | \$95,284.93 | Sub total | 108,322,69 |
| Surplus for year | 13,037.76 | Deficit for year | |
| | 108,322.69 | Total 4 | 108,322.69 |

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER, 1954

| | On hand January 1 | | Recei | Received during year | | | d during y | ear | On hand December 31 | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------|----------------------|-----------|--------------|------------|------------------|---------------------|-------|-----------|--------------|
| PLEASE SHOW SERIES LETTER BELOW | Quan | Serial N from | to | Quan. | Serial No | umbers to | Quan. | Serial N from | umbers to | Quan. | Serial No | umbers to |
| 'ax Receipts (Series) | | | | | | ,, | | , | | | | |
| eneral Receipts (Series) | | | | | | | | . 1 | | | | |
| fed. & Hosp. T.R. (Series) | | | | | [| | | | | | [| |
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REMUNERATION OF COUNCIL MEMBERS FOR ATTENDING MEETINGS, SUPERVISION OF PUBLIC WORKS OR AID

| Name of Council Member | | | | R | Rate per day | | | of miles tr | | Total remuneration | | | |
|---------------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|-------|----------|--|
| | Public works | -Aid Other | Meet- ings | Public works | Aid Other | Meet- ings | Public works | -Aid Other | Meet- ings | Public works | Other | Meetings | |
| Kuntz R.A. | 14 | 1 | 12 | 8.00 | 8.00 | 8.00 | 640 | 23 | 168 | 176.00 | 10,30 | 112.80 | |
| 2Weber J. | 12 1 | 1 2 | 8 | | | | 760 | 19 | | 176.00 | | 64.00 | |
| 3 Cumming G.R. | 13 | " | 12 | | | .,. , | 825 | | 408 | 186,50 | | 136.80 | |
| 4 Hunter T. | 12 | | 12 | | | | 500 | 1 | 408 | 146.00 | | 136.80 | |
| 5McKenna W.L. | 14 | | 12 | | | | 650 | | 408 | 177.00 | | 136.80 | |
| 6Code A.W. | $13\frac{1}{2}$ | 11/2 | 12 | ļ | | | 680 | 110 | 456 | 176.00 | 23.00 | 141.60 | |
| 7Martin J.L. | 13 | 2 | 12 | | | | 700 | | 324 | 174.00 | | 128.40 | |
| 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | | | | , | | | | | | l | | | |
| 10 | | | | | | | | | | | ,, | | |
| Reeve attending office | | | ••••• | | | | . | | <u> </u> | | | ļ | |

| ★ /We hereby certify that I/we have audited the accounts | and records of the Rural Municipality of Buffalo |
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| No. 409 for the year ending December 31, 1954, and | compared the said accounts with their relative vouchers; and tha |
| +/we verified the cash on hand by actual count on the | th day of February 1955 and found |
| same to agree with the amount required by the records. The | /We certify that, to the best of my/our knowledge, information |
| and belief, the foregoing financial statements are true and o | correct, and in accordance with the accounts and records of the |
| municipality | CHARTERED ACCOUNT ANTS. Auditor S. |
| Date February 11th, 1955. | Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, |

| Source: Department of Trade and Commerce. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--|
| | 1945 | 1946 | 1947 | 1948 | 1949 | 1950 | 1951 | 1952 | 1953 | י1954י | 19552 | |
| | | | | | Milli | ions of dol | lars | | | | | |
| Institutional Services Churches | 2.4 | 6.2 | 10.9 | 23.6 | 33.4 | 3 2.5 | 32.1 | 27.0 | 27.7 | 33.7 | 34.4 | |
| UniversitiesSchools | 7.0 14.3 | 12.4 27.4 | 13.5 31.3 | 12.3 53.4 | 11.9 73.2 | 14.0 88.2 | 14.0 111.3 | 13.1 144.9 | 17.0 133.1 | 15.0 155.5 | 20.5 171.2 | |
| Hospitals | 22.3 | 28.3 | 33.1 | 55.6 | 71.4 | 73.0 | 79.0 | 93.3 | 118.3 | 117.0 | 157.7 | |
| Sub-total | 46.0 | 74.3 | 88.8 | 144.9 | 189.9 | 207.7 | 236.4 | 278.3 | 296.1 | 321.2 | 383.8 | |
| Municipal Government Departments ³ Provincial Government Departments ⁴ | 46.9 50.4 | 83.0 90.9 | 86.5 147.8 | 98.6 187.3 | 99.5 157.5 | 137.0 182.0 | 159.0 205.0 | 190.0 247.0 | 182.9 258.9 | 213.0 270.5 | 230.3 284.3 | |
| Total "Social" Construction | 143.3 | 248.2 | 323.1 | 430.8 | 446.9 | 526.7 | 600.4 | 715.3 | 737.9 | 804.7 | 898.4 | |
| Total Capital Expenditures | 1,284 | 1,703 | 2,489 | 3,175 | 3,502 | 3,815 | 4,577 | 5,285 | 5,841 | 5,498 | 5,808 | |
| Social as percent of Total | 11.2% | 14.6% | 13.0% | 13.6% | 12.8% | 13.8% | 13.1% | 13.5% | 12.6% | 14.6% | 15.5% | |

| Source: Dominion Bureau of Statistics. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|------|------|----------|------------|-------|-------|-------------------|------|------|------|-------|-------|
| | 1946 | 1948 | 1950 | 1952 | 1953² | 19543 | 1946 | 1948 | 1950 | 1952 | 1953² | 19543 |
| | | | Millions | of dollars | | | Per cent of total | | | | | |
| Transportation and Communication | 135 | 255 | 250 | 367 | 409 | 370 | 27 | 32 | 27 | 30 | 31 | 27 |
| Health and Social Welfare. | 101 | 164 | 245 | 287 | 318 | 335 | 20 | 21 | 26 | 24 | 24 | 25 |
| Education | 88 | 142 | 183 | 221 | 234 | 247 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 18 | 18 | 18 |
| Natural Resources and Primary Industries | 46 | 75 | 72 | 94 | 100 | 108 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 8 |
| Other Net General Expenditure | 139 | 162 | 192 | 238 | 265 | 293 | 27 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 22 |
| Total Net General Expenditure | 509 | 798 | 942 | 1,207 | 1,326 | 1,353 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 100 |

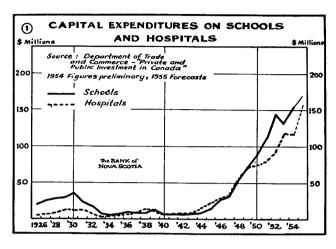
| (in thousands) | 0-4 years | | | 5-9 years | | | 10-14 years | | | 15-19 years | | |
|----------------------|-----------|---------|----------|-----------|---------|----------|-------------|---------|----------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|
| | 1945 | 1954 | % Change | 1945 | 1954 | % Change | 1945 | 1954 | % Change | 1945 | 1954 | % change |
| Newfoundland | 42.5 | 63.0 | +48 | 36.0 | 53.9 | +50 | 32.8 | 42.0 | +28 | 32.7 | 33.3 | +2 |
| Prince Edward Island | 9.2 | 13.4 | +46 | 9.0 | 12.0 | +33 | 9.1 | 10.2 | +12 | 8.7 | 8.1 | -7 |
| Nova Scotia | 68.9 | 85.8 | +25 | 58.0 | 76.0 | +31 | 56.0 | 63.0 | +13 | 55.2 | 53.0 | 4 |
| New Brunswick | 55.5 | 78.1 | +41 | 47.2 | 67.4 | +43 | 46.2 | 54.3 | +18 | 45.4 | 44.4 | 2 |
| Quebec | 424.9 | 575.8 | +36 | 349.9 | 513.1 | +47 | 349.2 | 413.4 | +18 | 354.1 | 350.6 | -1 |
| Ontario | 361.2 | 590.7 | +64 | 303.7 | 481.4 | +59 | 311.9 | 378.8 | +21 | 329.6 | 3 32.2 | +1 |
| Manitoba . | 68.7 | 98.6 | +44 | 58.7 | 83.3 | +42 | 60.4 | 67.1 | +11 | 64.7 | 58.1 | -10 |
| Saskatchewan | 78.8 | _108.3_ | +37 | 77.6 | 91.8 | +18 | 81.2 | 77.5 | 5 | 84.9 | 68.7 | |
| Alberta | 82.2 | 137.8 | +68 | 72.9 | 110.5 | +52 | 73.5 | 87.9 | 1 +20 1 | 73.1 | 76.4 | +5 |
| British Columbia | 85.7 | 143.4 | +67 | 66.5 | 119.5 | +80 | 63.7 | 93.4 | +47 | 70.1 | 78.0 | +11 |
| | 1.077.0 | 1 004 0 | i | 1.070.5 | 4 600 0 | 1 | | | | | | |
| CANADA* | 1,277.6 | 1,894.9 | +48 | 1,079.5 | 1,608.9 | +49 | 1,084.0 | 1,287.6 | +19 | 1,118.5 | 1,102.8 | -1 |

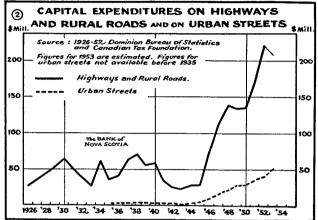
| | | Treatment ds ¹ | Menta | al Beds² | General Tre plus Me | Tuberculos Beds³ | |
|--|--|--|--|--|---|---|--|
| | Number | per 1000 population | Number | per 1000 population | Number | per 1000 population | Number |
| Newfoundland . Prince Edward Island . Nova Scotia New Brunswick Quebec | 1,655 580 3,844 2,892 21,208 29,689 5,566 6,545 | 4.2 5.5 5.8 5.3 4.9 6.0 6.8 7.5 | 849 296 2,827 1,644 17,234 19,336 3,451 4,659 | 2.2 2.8 4.2 3.0 4.0 3.9 4.2 5.4 | 2,504 876 6,671 4,536 38,442 49,025 9,017 11,204 | 6.4 8.3 10.0 8.3 8.9 9.9 11.0 | 785 150 1,198 1,025 5,915 4,565 1,263 867 |
| Alberta British Columbia Yukon and Northwest Territories | 7,484 10,678 147 | 7.3 8.6 5.7 | 4,025 6,244 — | 3.9 5.0 — | 11,509 16,922 147 | 11.2 13.6 5.7 | 1,180 1,588 429 |
| CANADA | 90,288 | 6.0 | 60,565 | 4.0 | 150,853 | 10.0 | 18,965 |

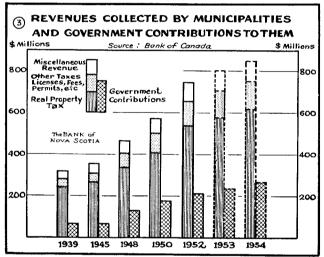
¹ includes all beds, except those for tuberculosis, in public general hospitals, public special hospitals (i.e. for chronic, convalescent, maternity, etc. cases), private hospitals and federal hospitals.

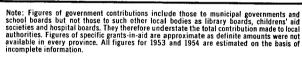
2 Based on number of patients in mental institutions at this date. The degree of overcrowding is indicated by the fact that the "rated capacity" of these hospitals was only 51,320. Thus 118 patients were being accommodated in space which should have held only 100. 3 Includes beds in tuberculosis sanatoria and tuberculosis units of other hospitals.

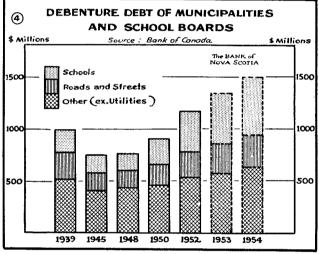
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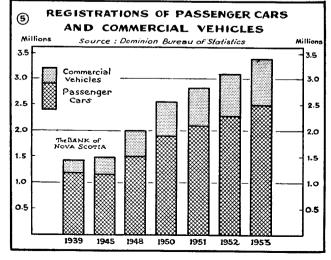


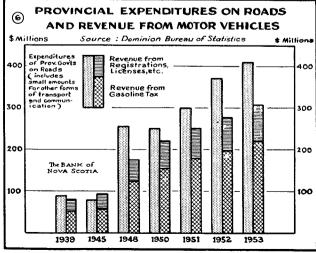






Note: Figures are of gross bonded debt (excluding utility debt since this is in general selfsupporting). Against this gross bonded debt as shown in the chart, sinking funds were held as follows: in 1939, \$196 millions; in 1945, \$131 millions; in 1948, \$105 millions; in 1950, \$103 millions, in 1952, \$86 millions; in 1953, \$80 millions and in 1954, \$81 millions. All figures for 1953 and 1954 are estimated on the basis of incomplete information.





Mrs. Margaret Baldwin



Mrs. Margaret Baldwin, 1906 beside Hospital in Adanac

Mrs. Baldwin besides raising her family of twelve children found time to attend the sick and newborns over a wide area even riding to her cases on stoneboats in all kinds of weather and hours, never refusing to go without regard for reward.

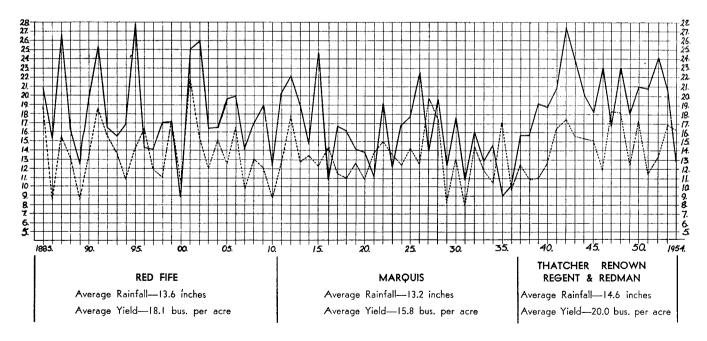
Grandmother Baldwin was also a vigorous church and community worker, her quiet calm and practical bearing helped to alleviate suffering, with encouragement and leadership she endeared herself to all, a faculty so necessary in those early pioneer days, without fatigue she served her day and locality well.

Homemakers Club Cloan



Homemakers Club Cloan, June 8th, 1936. Left to Right, First Row: Mesdames W. C. Gendall, J. S. Ovens, J. M. Larmour, E. Johnston, F. H. Tait, J. P. Milne, J. T. McNeice, J. P. Wright, J. Higgins, G. F. Dillon. Second Row: J. G. McKenna, J. Reid, J. Rowat, J. Tait, J. A. Douglas, A. C. Gordon, G. Apfeld, J. C. Mitchell, A. Duncan, J. H. Gordon.

Fifty years ago there were only two organized Rural Municipalities in the Province, now there are 296 and 20 L.I.D.'s, with rural population of 399,580. R.M. 409 has 1.050. The Provincial resident farmers are listed as 113,185, the Urban Centres are 8, Cities 93, Towns 321. Villages and numerous Hamlets within rural municipal areas, substantial growth over the period.



* Rainfall includes that which occurred the previous fall (August, September and October) as well as during the growing season (April 1st to July 31st inclusive)

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